



# Wensley Fold CE Primary Academy

"Make Each Day Count"

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Dear Parent

## **BOOK PEOPLE BUS**

The Book Bus will now come tomorrow - It is run by the Book People and you can save up to 75% off RRP on books, with over 250 books from just £3.

Children can purchase books with their classes if they bring money into school in an envelope or they can purchase books with parents after school.



## **WORLD BOOK DAY**

Just a reminder that we will be celebrating World Book Day this Thursday 1 March and in line with this year's theme 'Share a Story', all children can come to school dressed as their favourite book character (no football shirts). There will be a prize for the best costume in each class.



## **WORLD BOOK DAY – SHARE A STORY WENSLEY FOLD 'EXTREME READING CHALLENGE'**

All entries must be in by tomorrow (Wed) and winners/prizes will be announced on World Book Day (Thursday 1 March). Entries can be emailed to school, posted on our school Facebook account or printed out and brought into school. The best picture from each year group will win a prize and a place on our reading 'Hall of Fame' board in school.

## **SCHOOL UNIFORM – WINTRY WEATHER**

Please can we ask parents to make sure their child is appropriately dressed for the freezing temperatures and snow we are currently having. Some older children have come to school today in just a hoody and some children in pump like footwear! Obviously this is not appropriate for the weather as they are outside at break and lunchtime and also they should be wearing black shoes as part of the school uniform. If children come to school in boots then they must bring their school shoes in a bag to change into. Thank you for your cooperation.

## **STORYTELLING WORKSHOPS**

To celebrate World Book Day we are running two storytelling workshops for a parent and their child tomorrow afternoon (Wed) – applies to children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2.

### **YEAR 2 TOWNELEY HALL**

As part of their topic on Houses & Homes, Year 2 will be visiting Towneley Hall, Burnley on Tuesday 13 March. Children should wear their school polo shirt and sweatshirt, jeans or tracksuit bottoms. Please ensure all children have their wellingtons in school. All monies must be paid online and consent forms returned back to school by Friday 9 March. Thank you.



### **YEAR 3S VIKING TRIP**

As part of their topic on Vikings, Year 3S will be visiting Martin Mere on Tuesday 20 March. A packed lunch will be required, however those children entitled to free school meals will have a lunch provided. If possible can children bring a 'Viking style' lunch e.g. Brown bread sandwiches, fruit wrapped in a tea towel or brown paper bag. Children have already received a guide on what children are expected to wear. Please can all payments be paid online and consent forms be returned to the school office by Friday 16 March. Thank you.



### **YEAR 3B VIKING TRIP**

As part of their topic on Vikings, Year 3B will be visiting Martin Mere on Wednesday 21 March. A packed lunch will be required, however those children entitled to free school meals will have a lunch provided. If possible can children bring a 'Viking style' lunch e.g. Brown bread sandwiches, fruit wrapped in a tea towel or brown paper bag. Children have already received a guide on what children are expected to wear. Please can all payments be paid online and consent forms be returned to the school office by Friday 16 March. Thank you.

## **SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHER**

The annual visit by the school photographer will be this Friday 2 March. Individual and family group photographs will be taken of all children unless we are notified otherwise. Unfortunately we are unable to take photographs of any children who do not attend Wensley Fold. Thank you.

## **ANNUAL INTERSCHOOL SWIMMING GALA**

Wensley Fold will be taking part in the Blackburn Primary Schools Swimming Gala next Friday 9 March at Darwen Leisure Centre. Children selected have received further details. Each child will be allocated two tickets (£2.50 payable at Darwen Leisure Centre). Thank you.



## **FRENCH TRIP**

All EHIC cards and medication forms must be handed into school as soon as possible.



## **FRENCH TRIP HOODY**

All payments must be paid online and are due by next Friday 9 March so the hoodies can be printed in time.

## **YEAR 6 SATS REVISION PAPERS**

Revision papers are available to buy from school. Papers must be paid online under 'Exams and Fees'.

## **GOVERNOR MEETINGS**

There will be meetings of the governor sub-committees this week as follows:

Community	Wednesday at 5.00pm
Finance	Wednesday at 6.00pm
Pay & Personnel	(following Finance)

## **SING TOGETHER – KS2**

This year's Sing Together concert will take place at King Georges Hall next Monday 5 March at 6pm. Tickets are now sale at King Georges Hall box office, £4.50 for adults (Children free). All children selected have been notified. Please can all children who are taking part bring a snack and drink into school on the day.

## **PARENTS WORKSHOP – INSPIRE MATHS**

This continues to run on Monday mornings.

## **ENGLISH CLASSES**

We are running ESOL classes in school on Monday afternoons from 1.00pm-3.00pm where you can learn English, improve your speaking, listening, reading and writing skills. However we do require a minimum of 6 parents for them to take place. Please inform Mrs Ghiwala if you are interested.

## **LITERACY COURSE**

This will continue to run on Tuesday mornings.

## **WELL-BEING CO-ORDINATOR – DROP IN SESSIONS**

Mrs Tasneem Abdul is our well-being coordinator and holds a drop in session every Tuesday afternoon from 2.00pm – 3.00pm. Her role is to support pupils and their families through challenging times and to ensure they receive all the practical and emotional support they may require. Parents can attend the sessions for any issues, worries or concerns they may have or even help with filling out forms. She may not always have the answers but a large part of her work involves working with other agencies to ensure that our parents receive the best support possible.

## **COOKING - FEBRUARY HALF TERM**

Over the next couple of days those children who were down to attend the cooking over February half term will receive a letter about it being rearranged. Please ensure you return the slip if you receive this letter, otherwise your child will miss

out. If you do not receive this letter and your child was down for the cooking on the Monday of half term please ring Sara Burton straight away on 07805929965.

**CHILDREN’S UNIVERSITY – TOGETHER WE CAN**

For those who have signed up for this please remember it is taking place this Saturday 3 March.

**EASTER HOLIDAYS**

Letters will be going out for the Easter holiday activities later next week. Please keep an eye out for these.

**CHILDREN’S UNIVERSITY CHILL FACTORE TRIP**

Those children who are attending this trip will receive a letter with their group details on next week. Please ensure you look out for this.

**PARK AND STRIDE**



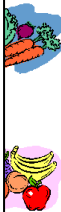
We will be continuing with our Park and Stride on Friday mornings from 8.25am – 8.35am at Sacred Heart Church car park entrance on Preston New Road.

**STORY TIME & RHYME TIME**

Reception parents are invited to attend Story time with their children on Wednesday afternoons at 2.45pm and rhyme time with their children on Friday afternoons at 2.45pm.



**WENSLEY FOLD CE PRIMARY ACADEMY – DINNER MENU 28 Feb 18 – 6 Mar 18**

<p><b>Wednesday</b></p> <p>Homemade Cheese &amp; Tomato Pizza With Potato Wedges &amp; Beans</p> <p>Salad from the Cart</p> 	<p><b>Thursday</b></p> <p>Homemade Meat &amp; Potato Pie With Mushy Peas</p> <p>Salad from the Cart</p> 	<p><b>Friday</b></p> <p>Homemade Beef Lasagne With Garlic Bread</p> <p>Salad from the Cart</p> 	<p><b>Monday</b></p> <p>Salmon Nuggets With Mashed Potato &amp; Peas</p> <p>Salad from the Cart</p>
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**Tuesday**

Homemade Cheese & Tomato Pizza With Spicy Wedges & Beans

Salad from the Cart

**Healthy Grab 5 Meal**

Sandwich Baps with Assorted Vegetarian Fillings  
 A Selection of Fresh Fruit, Yoghurt & Dried Fruit  
 Cheese & Biscuits  
 Breadsticks  
 Homemade Muffins or Cookies  
 Water, Milk or Fresh Fruit Juice

Tickets can be purchased daily (except Mon) for those children who are not on school meal

**Also Available Daily**

Baked Potatoes with Assorted Fillings  
 Bread & Butter  
 A Selection of Fresh Fruit and Yoghurt  
 Cheese & Biscuits

Water, Milk or Fresh Fruit Juice